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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

DELETE CLAIMS 12, 14 & 28, AND SUBSTITUTE THEREFOR THE FOLLOWING CLAIMS.

12. The transponder-reader transaction system of claim 1, further including a comparison device configured to compare said proffered smellprint sample with a stored smellprint sample.

14. The transponder-reader transaction system of claim 12, wherein said stored smellprint sample comprises a registered smellprint sample.

28. The method of claim 23, wherein said step of proffering said smellprint to said smellprint sensor further includes processing database information, wherein said database information is contained in at least one of a transponder, a transponder reader, said smellprint sensor, a remote server, a merchant server and said transponder-reader transaction system.

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